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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Hidekazu Nakai  
Serial No.: 09/844,048  
Filed : April 27, 2001  
For : INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM AND INFORMATION  
PROCESSING APPARATUS  
Group A.U.: 2116  
Examiner : Thuan N. Du

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of June 25, 2004,  
Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified  
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the specification are reflected in the  
amendments on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims that begins on page 3 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 11 of this Amendment.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ No fee is required.

☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

☐ Total claims in excess of 20 previously paid for, at \$18 (\$9) ☐.

☒ 1 Independent claims in excess of 3 previously paid for, at \$88 (\$44) 88.

☐ Additional Fee for this Amendment ☐.

☐ This response is being filed within the ☐ first month, ☐ second month, ☐ third month, ☐ fourth month, ☐ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of ☐ \$110 (\$55), ☐ \$430 (\$215), ☐ \$980 (\$490), ☐ \$1,530 (\$765), ☐ \$2,080.00 (\$1,040.00) is due and paid herewith.

☐ The fee of \$ ☐ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 88 is attached.

☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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